GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5137
ANSWERED ON:20.04.2001
CAG REPORT ON POWER GRID CORPORATION OF INDIA
SANJAY PASWAN

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether CAG has in its audited report for the financial closing year, 2000 in respect of Power Grid Corporation of India has pointed out irregularities committed in the said referred PSU;

(b) if so, the details thereof in terms of nature of corruption and scale of money involved;

(c) whether any legal action is pending in any court of law pertaining large scale irregularities and corruption in the said PSU;

(d) if so the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government propose to investigate the matter through investigating agency like CBI;

(f) if so details thereof; and
(g) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) & (b): Power Grid Corporation of India (POWERGRID) is under the administrative control of the Ministry of Power and the CA(Report for the financial closing year 2000 has not been received by the Ministry. The Report is yet to be laid in the Parliament before its release.

(c) & (d): No, Sir.

(e) to (g): Do not arise.